The McArthur Enquirer. What is the "Credit Mobilier?" J. W. BOWEN, Editor and Publisher MCARTHUR, OHIO ... JANUARY 29, 1873.

Strange!

Now that the elections are over the rate of two millions per month, ture, and organized under the Last summer it was stated to be re- French financial designation duced from one to three millions per month. Strange, isn't it ?

Colonization Society wants the Government to es tablish a line of steamers to Liberia.

THE attention of the numerous "ring" was formed inside the readers is called the law card of direction, embracing, as such a Hon. H. C. Jones, Attorney, of Mc- combination always does, the Arthur, Ohio. Those wishing to shrewdest, most active and employ a responsible and prompt least scrupulous of the Board, legal advisor in Ohio, should corres- for the purpose of making large pond or call upon Mr. Jones.

Persons desiring to see mar- of the road and of the unsusriage or death notices of their pecting stockholders. As usual friends in The McArthur En-the object was to be achieved OUIRER must send the facts to by means of construction conthis office. We have no time tracts. Through the vote of to hunt up all the news which the "ring" the work was to be should be promptly furnished awarded in a lump to some in every part of the county.

It is said that Vinton Furnace will go into blast about the 1st of February. The new appetites had to be satisfied, hearth was completed last Saturday morning. The machinery is being repaired, and all the necessary preparations being made for the manufacture of the best iron. The style of the Moiblier, the pretense being new firm is BANCROFT & RADER.

A company is about to be organized at Portland, Ohio, to single individual. In pursuance manufacture fire brick. The of this conspiracy—for it was manufactories at Webster and nothing else-the contract for Sciotoville cannot supply the demand, large quantities being sent out of the State, even as far as Chicago. There is an abundance of the best fire clay Dr. Durant's statement, was in the world, near Portland.

Monroe Furnace, Scioto county, Ohio, is operated by the Union Iron Company. This ready been constructed and ac- State Fair at Mansfield, com-Company also operates Wash- cepted by the United States ington Furnace, in the edge of Lawrence county. The Company owns over 18,000 acres of land. Last year they cut the tract at fifty thousand dollars timber on 800 acres of land. a mile, and thus an enormous It takes the timber of nearly amount of money was taken 400 acres to run one of these large Furnaces a year. Last year they had about 20,000 tion, and transferred to the cords cut. They pay this win- greedy grasp of the ring. The ter 60 cents per cord.

According to the report of Secretary of State, Ohio in 1871 was the third State in the Union in the amount of corn which it thousand dollars in cash. raised. Only Illinois and Iowa were in advance of it. Iowa and Ohio each raised about 100,000,000 bushels. Illinois has 303,000,000 bushels. Behind us are Missouri and Indiana, which have respectively, stitution. 87,000,000 and 79,000,000 bushels. The number of acres of land planted in corn in Illinois is nearly 5,500,000. This is twice as much as any other control the elections of the

the Ohio Penitentiary have sent their report for 1872 to the Governor.

The report of the Warden the Federal Government, withshows a remarkable diminution out the consent of the State in the number of convicts. The Legislatures, or even their re- object in the murder was that monstrances. highest number that has ever been confined in the prison was in 1868, when it reached 1,099, decide who are State Canvasthe average of the year being sers of Votes, thus foists upon 1,053. The average number the people a Governor, Legisla- \$25,000. The question arises, ascribed to him; that they are those for 1869 was 1,018; for 1870, ture, county officers, etc. about 1,013; for 1871, about 1,014; and for the last, about its soldiers, sustains the Judge 947, or 67 less than for the in the proposition. vear previous.

this policy is tending? There have been received during the past year 316, and 395 discharged. Of this number 51 were pardoned by the on Monday evening, resulting be but one name mentioned Governor and one by the Presi- in the continuance of the old in connection with the position. -dent. Three were sent to the officers for the ensuing year, as They all unite in favor of Gen-Reform School, three escaped, Vice President, Isaiah Lord; eral Thos. Ewing, of Lancasand 21 died. Number remain- Treasurer, Wm. Poland, Secre- tleman of integrity and ability, ing in the prison October 3d, tary, A. J. Smart.-Chillicothe and his nomination 1872 : Males, 846 : females, Post. 33. The total expenditure, for Leaving a balance of \$4,625.96. bound fast line train-

This question continues to be The law fixing the time for holding the Constitutional Conasked, in spite of the repeated vention has at last passed both explanation already given. The inside history of that combination, which availed itself of an old act of incorporation passed the National debt is increasing at by the Pennsylvania Legisla- body. Vinton county is entinow so notorious, is related in on affidavit of one of its mem- vention will assemble in Co- Few men possess more self-confibers, Dr. Thomas C. Durant, of lumbus on the second Tuesday in dence or egotistical vanity than General Council of the United which the following is a brief May next. This will be one of RAPER. Few men possess a less summary: When the Union Pacific road was under construction a

make over the contract to the

"ring" Directors, in the capac-

ity of stockholders of the Credit

that the Credit Mobilier had

the means to push the work

be better able to do so than any

and duly assigned to the "ring"

-a price which, according to

more than double the legitimate

cost of the work. This, how-

ever, was not enough. By the

votes of the conspirators many

Government as complete, and

which had nearly all been paid

from eight to ten times their

face value—that is to say,

single thousand dollar share

was worth from eight to ten

over and regulate the fares of

3. To pass a National elec-

4. To seize upon and exer-

5. To enter upon and con-

6. In addition, a Federal

Judge in Louisiana assumes to

istration, with the bayonets of

demn property in the State for

tion law, and supervise and

following:

the railroads.

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States.

fortunes for its members in an illegitimate manner, at the cost dummy contractor, at a price double or more than double the cost, with a fair profit added for, as a great many capacious shment, etc., etc. an ample margin was necessary. The contractor was then to

State Board of Agriculture.

The Constitutional Convention.

There was a large attendance House," &c., he is ventilating. the meeting of the Ohio State Board of Agriculture, at Columbus, on the 8th inst., represented except one. Vinton county was represented by Benom Hixon, President of the Agricultural Society.

the construction of a large por-The following are the officers tion of the road at fifty thousand dollars a mile was awarded elected for the ensuing year: President—L. G. Delano, Chillicothe; Treasurer—S. Harmount, New Philadelphia Corresponding and Recording Secretary—J. K. Klippart, Columbus; Financial Secretary—H. S. Babbitt, Colum-

Mr. Klippart makes a most excellent Secretary.

The first week in September miles of the road which had al- was fixed upon for the next mencing with Monday, Sept. 1st, and continuing throughout the Prosecutor said of "Taxpayer."

for by the Union Pacific Company, were included in the con-The next meeting of the board will be held February 18, at which time the premium list will be revised and other arbodily, as it were, out of the rangements made for the State pockets of the stockholders, without a shadow of justifica-

The Railroad Election

shares of the Credit Mobilier From a letter received by Nelson were thus made at once worth RICHMOND, Esq., from President LANGLEY, in which we find the result of the election for seven Di-Columbus Railroad Company, on Wednesday, January 15. The following is the result:

-Among the bills before Congress, brought by members of the dominant party, are the 1. To purchase and run the telegraph as a Government in-2. To assume jurisdiction

CONELIUS KARNES and JOHN HUHN reside in Vinton county; the other members of the Board reside in

mon Schools in the different Dover, had his life insured for \$25,000 for the benefit of his family. He has confessed to the killing of a negro named GOOCH TURNER. His apparent corpse, and the insurance companies defrauded out of the if West is hanged for this mur-7. The Washington Adminder, will the companies be compelled to pay the amount of the insurance to his family.

Can any body doubt where THE Democatic press of Ohio have thus early began to ex-THE Richland Furnace Compress their preference for pany held their annual election Governor. There appears to would thoroughly unite the Democratic and Liberal elements of THERE is great danger of the State. No stronger or Times.

COMMUNICATED. Raper and the Half-Bushel

notice appeared in the last Record of our article on "Raper and the branches of the Ohio Legisla- Half-Bushel," in which notice there ture. It now devolves upon the are some remarkable utterances. nent basis, we take pleasure in as people to select suitable mem- RAPER has in what he was pleased suring the readers thereof, and the bers to represent them in that to say in that article made himself Christian Union Churches in partled to one delegate to the than he usually does when he that no more suspensions are to Convention. The election will writes, and this is no small achievebe held on the first Monday in ment for one who uniformly writes many journals of this State happy union of egotism and ignothe judiciary system, provisions man that has shown such little re- harmony with practical ability. for the more stringent govern- spect for truth and common decency ment of corporations, especially as to publish to that part of the ailroads, the ever agitated tem- world which he supplies with lit-dation than ever before, and we perance question, the tenure of erary (?) food (?) that which he feel free to say to our people: You office, abolition of capital pun- certainly ought to have known to need have no fears of failure under

That part of the ring which refers to "SHIVEL and McGILLIVRAY unlawfully using rooms at the Court That part of "the ring which re-

using rooms unlawfully," is RAPER. Therefore, he is the thing his pavigorously forward, and would every county in the State being per is "ventilating," and he must not blame me too severely for not liking such a thing when ventilated. A part of the ring refers to "McGillivray and Shivel unlawfully using rooms at the Court House," &c.

RAPER is the only man that does

RAPER is, therefore, the whole of cially don't like to see ventilated." A man whose ideas are so low, guities as that used by RAPER, is The following are the not the man to edit a newspaper. The same may be said of him that He has doubtless "mistaken his calling." His skill would certainly appear to better advantage if FREE for every Ten Subscribers employed elsewhere.

After thus ventilating himself, as say that he will not "support Bel-FORD for re-election in case he should be nominated."

This statement coming from him is not only absurd, but utterly contemptible. Nobody expected him to support Belford. No one would have believed him if he had solemnly declared that he intended to ectors for the Gallipolis, McArthur do so. He is not the kind of a man who would likely support a good man from him in reference to a Democrat who may possibly be a candidate for re-election too plainly declares him a fool to leave any doubt as to ais being such.

Why does he take the trouble to solemnly declare that he will not support Belford for re-election, when everybody knowing him, knew he would not ?-when he well knew that all who knew him, knew he would not? Did he expect to A NOVEL question of life in- make some fool believe that Belford surance is likely to arise in had been guilty of official miscon-THE Directors and officers of cise the control of all the com- Delaware. Professor West, of duct, and that that was RAPER'S reason for not supporting him for

He greatly underrates the intelligence of even the simpletons of Vinton county, if he thinks any of THEM will be misled in this way by him. His over-weaning self-esteem has impressed his imbecile judgthe mutilated body of the negro ment into the belief that there are might be mistaken for his own many other men in Vinton county, WEAKER THAN HIMSELF.

> enced by the motives we have hereto annexed: that prompted him to make the attack he has made on BELFORD.

He, therefore, stands before the people of Vinton county as a man actuated and led on by mercenery considerations to utter things which he does not to be true, and which if he was at all informed he would certainly know to be false, and things which, whether true or false, he would continue to utter so long as his purposes. As a man who does not stoop to LITTLE THINGS, but who, the LEAST OF SMALL THINGS-as a man whose weakness is pitable, but whose egotism is contemptible in-OBEDIAH OSCAR.

be missed in future.

PROSPECTUS

EDITOR ENQUERER:-An editorial THE CHRISTIAN WITNESS!

In resuming the publication of THE CHRISTIAN WITNESS ON a perma-

April, the 7th; and the Con- the most contemptible of silly things ton county, Ohio, has become the J. W. Bowen, of McArthur, Vin States of America, of THE CHRISTIAN the most important elections share of good, sound, practical sense Witness and its other literature, by held for twenty years, and than he. Fewer still have the un- an arrangement with him, well se cured, by the Committees of the said have suggested the necessity of rance that characterizes him, and General Council and Ohio State selecting the best men for Dele- makes him an object of utter con- Council. The Christian Witness gates. It is to be hoped that tempt. The article before me fully is the Organ of the said Christian Vinton county will not be be- justifies these remarks. He in that Union General Council. The Edhind in this important matter. article unwittingly assumes to be a itor of the General Union contin-The questions that will come part of the "ring" which he says he ued by the authority of the Council before the Constitutional Con- is "ventilating." He says he is in Salem, Illinois, in May, 1872, vention for consideration and "ventilating that part of the ring will have the sole control of the final action are various and of which refers to McGillivrar and Literary department of the paper, the gravest importance to the Shivel unlawfully using rooms in and from his attentive labors of future history and welfare of the Court House," &c. No body of the past, we feel certain that his the State. Among the most but RAPER ever claimed that they efforts and zeal will not lessen in important of these subjects will were "unlawfully using rooms in the future. The mechanical work be the much talked of reform of the Court House." He is the only of the paper will be executed in

THE CHRISTIAN WITNESS enters the present management.

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THE New Orleans Times of the 8th contained the narrative of Mr. Soville, first officer the wrecked ship Golden Executed on their utterances would seem to serve Hind, who had just arrived wrecked on the west coast of when erect, is only at a level with Patagonia in June last, and fourteen of the crew spent fortyeight hours in two open boats in the Straits of Magellan .-They were compelled to keep OAKES AMES says that he from starving to devour the all purposes, was \$178,361.64. somebody being killed at Vinton Station by the westward could be nominated.—Marietta the last canvass. Oakes will ions, who died from privation and exposure.

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Admin'x.

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